

# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Mullins High School  
Marion 2  
Grades: 9-12 Enrollment: 542  
Principal: Rebecca P. Ford  
Superintendent: Dr. Dan Strickland  
Board Chair: Mrs. Mollie Bethea-Floyd

## PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	Below Average	At-Risk	TBD	TBD	F	N/A
2011	Average	Excellent	Gold	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2010	Below Average	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A

## ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
6	4	15	4	10

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

## HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2011	2012	2011	2012
Passed 2 subtests (%)	61.3%	59.3%	60.8%	65.6%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	18.5%	23.6%	20.4%	18.8%
Passed no subtests (%)	20.2%	17.1%	18.9%	18.1%

## HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2012

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	77.4%	80.8%

## ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	192	127
Number of Diplomas	123	88
Rate (%)	64.1%	66.9%

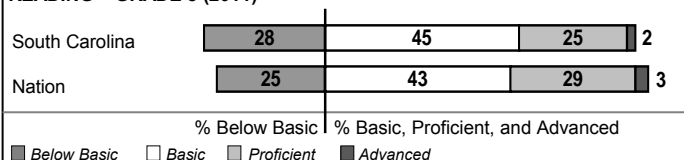
## END OF COURSE TESTS - 2012

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	51.0	57.2
English 1	53.6	49.9
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	51.4	57.2
US History and the Constitution	30.2	28.9
All Tests	45.8	47.6

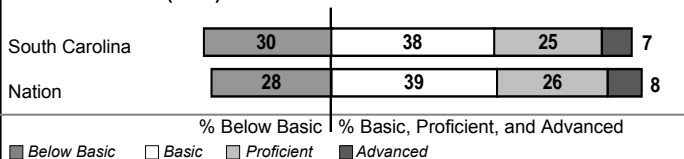
## NAEP PERFORMANCE\*

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.

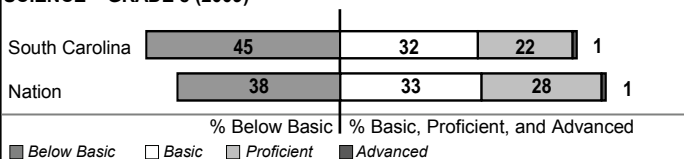
### READING - GRADE 8 (2011)



### MATH - GRADE 8 (2011)



### SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2009)



## SC PERFORMANCE VISION

*By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.*

### Abbreviations Key

N/A Not Applicable N/AV Not Available N/C Not Collected N/R Not Reported I/S Insufficient Sample TBD To be determined

# Mullins High School [Marion 2]

## SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
<b>Students (n=542)</b>				
Retention rate	6.1%	Down from 12.4%	3.3%	3.0%
Attendance rate	92.2%	Up from 91.4%	94.5%	95.3%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	7.9%	Down from 8.6%	1.7%	0.9%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	0.4%	Down from 2.3%	4.4%	13.4%
Successful on AP/IB exams	90.9%	N/A	22.2%	50.9%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	30.5%	Up from 12.2%	27.8%	30.1%
Annual dropout rate	6.6%	Up from 3.3%	2.0%	2.3%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	5.4%	Down from 5.6%	4.1%	2.7%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	139	Down from 248	200	395
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	97.8%	Up from 95.2%	80.0%	84.0%
<b>Teachers (n=30)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	46.7%	Down from 60.7%	62.0%	63.2%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	85.1%	Up from 76.0%	81.1%	86.6%
Teacher attendance rate	98.2%	Up from 94.6%	95.6%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$42,502	Down 1.5%	\$43,754	\$47,326
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	12.4%	Down from 21.0%	4.9%	3.6%
Professional development days/teacher	7.9 days	Down from 11.4 days	9.1 days	9.7 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	2.0	Up from 1.0	2.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	26.6 to 1	Up from 26.5 to 1	21.4 to 1	27.1 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.2%	Up from 83.9%	89.4%	89.4%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,188	Down 11.6%	\$9,678	\$7,761
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	60.1%	Up from 57.4%	54.1%	57.1%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	62.8%	Up from 62.1%	58.3%	59.6%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	72.7%	Down from 91.5%	96.6%	97.8%
Character development program	Average	No Change	Good	Good
ESEA composite index score	34.4	N/A	50.7	78.2

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data available.

## EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	31	82	12
Percent satisfied with learning environment	77.4%	56.1%	72.7%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	67.7%	70.7%	58.3%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	56.7%	85.4%	75.0%

\*Only eleventh grade students and their parents were included. For schools without grade eleven, only the highest grade was included.

## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

At Mullins High School we believe that celebrating what is right will give us the energy and motivation to fix what is not right. While we have a lot to celebrate, we realize we have things that we need to fix.

For the 2010-2011 school year we were awarded the Palmetto Gold Award for Improvement. We are very proud of our improvements and will continue to build those successes. We did lose some ground in math during the 2011-2012 school year and we will put a more focused effort in that area for the 2012-2013 school year. Our dropout rate had an unfortunate increase and we have put in place several interventions to work closer with our community, parents and students to increase the percentage of students successfully completing high school.

During the 2011-2012 school year, our senior class was awarded more than two million dollars in scholarship money. One of our seniors also met the criteria for Palmetto Fellow Scholar. One of our juniors qualified for and attended the National FBLA conference in Texas.

In athletics, our Girls' Basketball team won the title in our region and their coach was named the region co-coach of the year.

During the 2011-2012 school year our teachers began a more organized approach in planning together including building curriculum units and sharing results from common assessments. We also began a system of instructional rounds giving our teachers the opportunity to visit each other's classrooms to learn from each other.

We also began developing our PBIS program. We concentrated our efforts on the positive behaviors our students display. One of the ways we accomplished this was our students received recognitions from their teachers for exemplifying school pride.

We believe we are on the right path at Mullins High School and great things are in store for us. We begin and end every day by reciting our motto, "Success is the only option". Go AUCS!

Rebecca Ford, Principal  
April Dailey, SIC Chairperson

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